

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

- 1. Defendant's past criminal record includes multiple failures to appear for court, with resulting bench warrant activity. There are currently two active bench warrants outstanding. His past criminal record includes two prior firearms offenses. He is a convicted felon, but was allegedly in possession of a loaded firearm at the time of the instant arrest.
- 2. Defendant has a relatively unstable residential history and has not been employed since 2008. He allegedly admits to regular use of PCP and marijuana.
- 3. The instant charges involve allegations relating to trafficking in multiple high quality semi-automatic weapons, shotguns, illegally sawed-off shotguns and a silencer. Many of the weapons were allegedly stolen several days previously and one weapon alleged is said to have been recently involved in a shooting in the South Lake Union area.
- 4. Defendant poses a risk of nonappearance due to a history of failing to appear, active warrants, lack of employment and untreated substance abuse issues. Defendant poses a risk of danger due to criminal history, the nature and circumstances of the instant offense, and possession of a loaded firearm at the time of arrest.
- 5. There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings while addressing the danger to other persons or the community.

It is therefore ORDERED:

Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the Attorney
 General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent practicable, from
 persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;

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01	2.	Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with
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03	3.	On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the
04		person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver
05		the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection
06		with a court proceeding; and
07	4.	The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counse
08		for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United State Pretrial Services
09		Officer.
10		DATED this <u>23rd</u> day of April, 2012.
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13		Mary Alice Theiler United States Magistrate Judge
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